National Archives and Records Administration
Open Government Executive / Chief Information Officer, Mike Wash

Mike Wash was appointed NARA's Open Government Executive/Chief Information Officer (CIO) effective March 27, 2011, and is responsible for leading innovative projects and programs, and developing information systems and tools that will help customers discover NARA's holdings. Mike brings to his new assignment 7 years of experience as the CIO of the U.S. Government Printing Office, where he provided principal guidance for strategic information system initiatives at the agency and led the team that researched, developed, and launched the agency's Federal Digital System (FDsys), which is a secure digital content management system for millions of federal documents from every corner of the government, increasing transparency and creating business value. Mike was also instrumental in leading a collaborative effort with the Office of the Federal Register that developed and launched Federal Register 2.0 last summer. Before joining the federal government, Mike worked for 26 years in the private sector with the Eastman Kodak Company, directing the company's digital photo finishing equipment systems division and developing the platform that delivered Kodak Perfect Touch Processing to consumers in North America and Europe.